PUBLIC NOTICE

Request for Proposals for Work First New Jersey Program

The Salem County One-Stop Management Team has been designated as the administrative entity and grant recipient for the Work First New Jersey funds allocated to Salem County for "to work" programs and services. The Salem County One-Stop Career Center has been authorized to release a Request for Proposal (RFP) to solicit proposals from organizations interested in operating programs for the Work First New Jersey population. Work First NJ programs and services are those that engage recipients of public assistance in meaningful activities to enable them to seek, obtain and retain unsubsidized employment. Contracts that may result from proposals submitted in response to the RFP will be for the period of October 1, 2013 – September 30, 2014. Application packages and instructions will be available by contacting:

Salem County One-Stop Career Center Attn: Dara Ruiz 174 E. Broadway Salem, NJ 08079 Telephone#: (856) 935-7007

Office Hours: 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM (Monday – Friday)

A <u>Mandatory</u> Bidders Conference will be held on Wednesday, September 4, 2013, 11:00 a.m. at the Salem One-Stop Career Center. Call the above number prior to September 4th to secure attendance to the Conference. Proposals must be submitted no later than 11:00 AM on Wednesday, September 18, 2013. Proposals must meet WFNJ activity requirements for countable activities and proposal specifications. The Salem County One-Stop Career Center reserves the right to alter, amend, modify, or to reject any and all proposals and to accept only those proposals which are deemed most favorable and in the best interest of the One-Stop Career Center, the Cumberland/Salem Workforce Investment Board, and/or other respective County governing bodies. The Salem County One-Stop Career Center further reserves the right to alter instructions or proposal components to conform to Federal and/or State regulations which may be issued subsequent to the conference.